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## BY E-MAIL

The Honorable Shira A. Scheindlin United States District Judge United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

Re:

Floyd et al., v. City of New York, et al.,

08 Civ. 1034 (SAS)

Ligon et al., v. City of New York, et al.,

12 Civ. 2274 (SAS)

Your Honor:

On behalf of defendant City of New York ("City"), I write in response to the motions to intervene by proposed intervenor-defendants Patrolmen's Benevolent Association of the City of New York, the Detective's Endowment Association , Inc., the NYPD Captains Endowment Association, the Lieutenants Benevolent Association of the City of New York, Inc. and the Sergeants Benevolent Association "("Unions").

Recognizing that the interests of the City and the Unions may differ on collective bargaining issues, because of the widespread potential impact of the Court's August 12, 2013 Liability Opinion and Remedies Opinion and subsequent related orders on the City and police officers, the City consents to the Unions' motions to intervene.

Respectfully submitted,

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